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MORPHOGENS AND ACE INHIBITORS IN
TREATMENT OF CHRONIC RENAL
FAILURE

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REPLY AFTER JUNE 11, 2007
FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Dear Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the June 11, 2007 Final Office Action in the above-identified application. This Response is filed concurrently with a Petition and fee for a one-month extension of time for responding to that action under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). With that extension, a response is due on or before October 11, 2007. Thus, this response is timely filed.

Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

Listing of to the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.